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W. Irvine Favors Central Buying and Selling Group

Toronto, Dec. 12.—A great "trading agency" through which the Canadian farmer would sell all his products and purchase all his requirements, was urged Thursday night by William Irvine, M.P. for Wetaskiwin, Alberta, in an address at the annual banquet of the United Farmers of Ontario. The full economic power was to be found in the buying as well as selling and it was for the preservation of this power, he pleaded, "This should be preserved, he said, for the purpose of raising the agricultural status in Canada to a level of that of any other class in the country."

As a means of utilizing this power, they would form this "trading agency," which would be composed of the various agricultural pools now in operation throughout the country. Through the massed purchasing they would be able to secure their requirements at a much lower price and he thought Canadian manufacturers would be able to secure standard rates for their products.

Mr. Irvine suggested that the attitude of the farmer should be one of hopefulness; true to the co-operative principle—economically, politically and socially. The co-operative attitude should be taken especially in the political matters. "The Government, while not paying tribute to it, had been faced by the greatest problems that had ever confronted any such body in Canada. And the farmers should lend all their co-operation. While perhaps not practical just at the present time, Mr. Irvine suggested, while briefly surveying the wheat situation, that a universal pool was the only means by which grain could be regulated. He was not criticizing the action of the Canadian Pool, he said, for it had done great work and must continue to do so.

Miss Agnes Macphail, M.P., South-east Grey, in thanking Mr. Irvine on behalf of the organization, paid tribute to him as a thinker and a valuable representative in the House of Commons.

"Bill Irvine is one of those people who is so far beyond most people and particularly the ordinary politician that he was thought a fool by the politicians," Miss Macphail said. "He more than any other member of the United Farmers of Alberta, has had to bear the brunt of criticism. Now that a period of severe depression has come and everyone is hunting for a solution to the great problems which we face it is being recognized that this man is not a fool, but the man who thought he was the fool."

SASK. FARMER GROUP UPHOLDS SOVIET SYSTEM

Saskatoon, Dec. 12.—Following the final session of a two-day conference, delegates had adopted a programme of action, as a basis upon which they would endeavor to build a new national farm body known as the Farmers' Unity League of Canada.

According to the statement, demands included in the programme were as follows: No evictions for non-payment of mortgage; indebtedness rent or arrears of taxes; organized resistance against foreclosures and evictions; resistance to tax, sheriff and foreclosure sales; cancellation of all debts and arrears of taxes; complete control of grading of all farm products by the farmers; a guaranteed government income to all farmers or not less than \$4,000 per year to be raised out of profits of banks, mortgage firms, manufacturers, etc., free medicine, hospital, and medical attention for poor farmers; financing of all educational institutions by the state, social insurance for sickness, old age and other incapacities.

A communication from J. H. Hodson on the liquor question, was crowded out of this issue.

Town Topics

Christmas is on Thursday of next week.

The weather during the past week has been quite mild, and it has been thawing nearly every day.

Rev. Cameron of the Social Service department of the United Church, was the preacher at the First United Church here on Sunday evening last.

The many friends of Mayor Hewitt regret to know that he was confined to his home for a few days during the past week. He is now convalescing nicely.

The Christmas exams in all the grades of the Wetaskiwin High School are taking place this week. We hope to be able to publish the results in our next issue.

Geo. D. Wallace and Alex Sims motored to Calgary and back on Friday evening last. It was a business trip, and as the roads were in first-class condition, they made good time.

What nicer gift can you send your friends away from home, than a year's subscription to the home paper? The Wetaskiwin Times would be a weekly visitor, giving the local news.

The central committee having charge of the Christmas hamper being distributed this week, are busily engaged in sorting out the gifts and packing the boxes. It is expected that over two hundred hampers will be sent out during the next few days.

The Christmas cheer dance held in the Elks' hall on Tuesday evening under the auspices of the B. P. O. E. No. 91, was a very enjoyable and successful affair. A large crowd was in attendance, and the music was supplied by the Wetaskiwin orchestra.

O. H. Hershaw, representing the "Griegens" of Bergen, Norway, called on several Wetaskiwin friends this week. He was en route to Edmonton, where he expects to remain for some time, writing stories with a human interest, of events which transpired prior to the Great War.

In an effort to foster a brighter Christmas spirit in Wetaskiwin, Mr. Miller, of the Calgary Power Company, has erected a beautiful Christmas tree at the intersection of Pearce Street and Alberta Street, which is attractively decorated with colored lights. This tree is very artistic and Mr. Miller is to be complimented upon his efforts in this regard. Other corners in the city could be similarly decorated with very little cost, and would have the effect of engendering a much better spirit among the citizens of Wetaskiwin and community.

Obituary

CARL F. SEALUND

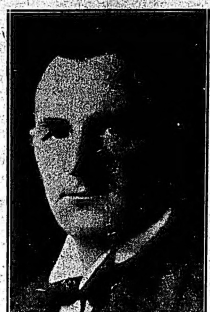
The many old timers of Wetaskiwin and community were surprised this week, to learn that Carl F. Sealund had passed away at Kingman, Alberta, on Tuesday. The late Mr. Sealund came to Wetaskiwin in 1902, and for several years was engaged in the mercantile business here. He later organized the Meeting Creek Trading Company, and also conducted a store at Meeting Creek for a number of years. About the year 1918, he moved to Kingman, where he had since resided. The funeral takes place at Kingman on Sunday afternoon next.

CANADA TO CLOSE 15 IMMIGRATION OFFICES IN U.S.

Winnipeg, Dec. 12.—Dominion immigration offices in the States are to be closed. Some fifteen scattered from Boston to San Francisco have been operating since 1901. But with the increased barrier to movement both ways over the line the usefulness of this costly machinery has practically ceased. The National Tourist Association, however, is urging that the most centrally located offices be retained with smaller staffs to encourage auto traffic and information of special value to that annual trek from the south, into Canada of the sightseers.

ALBERTA SALES OF LIQUOR CUT DOWN \$723,000

Edmonton, Dec. 13.—Sales in Alberta liquor vendors' stores for the six-month period ending September 30 showed a reduction over the same period in 1929 of \$723,000, according to a memorandum submitted on Friday to Hon. J. F. Lymburn, Attorney General, by Dr. J. Dinning, Liquor Commissioner.



WILLIAM IRVINE, M.P.
A trading agency through which the Canadian farmer would sell his products and purchase his requirements was suggested by William Irvine, Federal member for Wetaskiwin, speaking before the United Farmers of Ontario a few days ago.

EMERGENCY OF THE WEST

The realities of the situation in Canada, as everybody in the Dominion by this time is fully aware, is fighting with all the collective strength and intelligence she has in general trade and industrial depression on a scale and of a gravity not hitherto encountered during her history as an organized and progressive country.

In Western Canada the depression has hit agriculture, and as agriculture is the foundation on which the West has been built, and by which the Western social structure is maintained, the depression in Western agriculture has adverse consequences on the fortunes of the West country. This is, upon ourselves in Manitoba, and on our neighbors in the provinces of Saskatchewan and Alberta.

The facts as they are now affecting us can in some degree be stated simply and with accuracy. All of the West has grown up on the large-scale production and export sale of cereal grains; wheat being the great corner-stone of the farming enterprise. What is now the Western Canada's cash crop, the measure by which its grain is measured, is wheat, and that can be seen by comparing the prices wheat was fetching one year ago, and what it is fetching today.

Grain prices, as published in the grain tables, do not represent the amount of money the farmer receives for his grain; they represent considerably more, and this has to be allowed for when discussing what the farmer is actually getting. The comparative figures, taken from the tables, and in round numbers only, are as follows:

No. 1 Northern cash wheat, December 4, 1929, \$1.43; same date this year, 1930, 60c.

From these figures there would fall to be deducted some seventeen cents for average freight and other charges, and the farmer today getting the quoted price of 60c a bushel for No. 1 Northern wheat, would actually receive in cash 43 cents.

These are the prices for the top qualities. When the wheat grades lower than No. 1 Northern, or when it is "tough" or damaged, the price falls in proportion to the lower quality. Fully one-third of all Western wheat delivered during last November was graded "tough," which meant a further reduction to the farmer of about three cents. The farmer, therefore, whose wheat was graded No. 1 Northern, though last month received in actual money 40 cents a bushel for what he sold. When the grade was No. 2, or No. 3, or No. 4, the price came lower still. These are the prices as they affect the individual farmer, and represent his cash income for his year's work in wheat.

Taking the larger figures which show the relation of wheat sales to the national income, the following comparisons tell the story:

From August to October, 1929, western farmers delivered to country elevators, 173,891,000 bushels; net money valuation of this wheat, \$220,146,101. For the same period of this year, 1930, there were delivered, 173,650,000 bushels, with a net valuation of \$107,355,511.

For six million more bushels delivered this year the valuation, therefore is well over a hundred and thirteen million dollars less. This represents the shrinkage in value of the stocks of wheat we still have in the offer. We may be able to sell them, but on the basis of the above figures, we must sell them for less than last year; the goods on the national shelf have fallen in value.

Town Topics

Mrs. Richelieu Capps has moved from Mrs. Asps house to Mrs. W. Hogan's house, where she is continuing her dressmaking business.

Rose Margaret Hastings of Rapid Creek school district, has recovered nicely from an operation for appendicitis and left for her home on Friday last.

A Christmas festival will be held in the Norwegian Lutheran Church on Sunday, December 21st, at 7:30 p.m. A program will be rendered by the Sunday school. A few musical selections will also be given by outside talent.

A serious accident happened at Brightview on Tuesday of last week, when Hugo Carlson had the fingers of his right hand severed while sawing wood. He was rushed to the Wetaskiwin hospital, where his hand was amputated at the wrist. Latest reports are that he is doing nicely.

The United Church will hold their annual Christmas tree in two sections. The Cradle Roll, Beginners class, and the Primary Department with their friends on Tuesday, December 23rd, at 3:30 p.m., and all others on Monday, December 22nd at 8 p.m. Santa is expected at both programs.

Mrs. H. C. Cooke received a telegram last Friday that her brother-in-law, Albert E. Copeland of Toronto, passed away a few days ago, after a serious operation. Mr. Copeland was well known in Ontario, being president of the Ontario Hockey Association for two years, and manager of the Copeland Milling Company for a number of years in Midland.

B. D. Anderson enjoyed a conversation with his brother at Sioux City, Iowa, over long distance telephone on Thursday evening last. Although the distance is about sixteen hundred miles, Mr. Anderson informed a Times representative that his brother's voice was so clear, that it could easily have been only a few feet away. It is about twenty years since Mr. Anderson conversed with his brother.

WETASKIWIN BUSINESS GIRLS' CLUB ELECT NEW OFFICERS

The regular meeting of the Wetaskiwin Business Girls' Club was held at the home of Mrs. J. A. Rodell on Wednesday evening, December 10. The following officers were appointed to fill the vacancies which occurred since the club was organized:

Second Vice-President — Jean Angus.
Publicity — Florence Recknagle.
Directors — Miss Gullekson, Miss Aikens, Miss Schaff.

After the business was concluded a very interesting reading on "Immigration" was given by Ruby Bye. Games and contests were played. Miss Connie Scharf winning the prize. Dainty refreshments were served by Mrs. Rodell, assisted by Miss Abbott.

WETASKIWIN LODGE NO. 91 B.P.O.E. ELECT OFFICERS

The following were elected as the officers of the B.P.O. Elks' Wetaskiwin Lodge No. 91 on Tuesday evening of last week:

Immediate Past Exalted Ruler — Jesse B. Burkholder.
Exalted Ruler — J. H. Walker.
Clerk — Knight — Earl Landskog.
Lecturing Knight — E. Abousaff.
Lecturing Knight — J. S. Thompson.
Secretary — Chas. B. McMurdo.
Treasurer — Wm. Gibson.
Inner Guard — E. Mernor.
Tyler — Harry Grant.
Trustee — Emil Recknagle.

3,200 ACRES SOLD IN PROVOST AREA

Provost, Dec. 11.—One of the largest real estate transactions made here in the last three years has been brought to a close here, concluding negotiations which have been under way the past four weeks. As a result, the Standard Land Development Company, south-east of town, in which the firm of Gundy's, of Toronto, have a large interest, has disposed of nine parcels of land, totalling 3,200 acres, at prices ranging from \$35 an acre, which was the lowest figure, to \$40 an acre, which was the top price.

CALGARY FUNERAL HOME BEING SUED

Calgary, Alta., Dec. 11.—Claiming \$5,000 from the Armstrong Funeral Home and Dr. J. D. Stewart for mental anguish because on July 21, 1930, Dr. Stewart performed what is alleged to have been an unlawful autopsy on the body of his dead wife, Mrs. Isabel Edmonds, and removed a piece of liver which was used for scientific purposes, S. E. Edmonds presented notice of appeal to the appellate division of the Supreme Court Wednesday morning.

Kiwanian Duggan Talks on the Bonds of Empire

SERIES OF MISHAPS MARKS NUPTIALS OF NEW JERSEY COUPLE

Phillipsburg, N.J., Dec. 9.—Several things happened before, during and after the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. William Koch. They were approximately as follows:

The bridegroom's father fell ill and could not attend.

The flower girl fell from a piano stool and broke her arm.

The bride's mother fell down a flight of steps, receiving severe bruises.

A party of friends drove ahead of the bridal automobile and stopped quickly. There was a collision.

A passing motorist stopped to inquire if his aid was needed. As he stepped from his automobile, a cough car hit him and knocked him down.

Mr. and Mrs. Koch had planned to go to Niagara Falls. They changed their plans and headed for Wilmington, Del.

WHEAT FOR CHEWING GUM WRIGLEY PLAN

Toronto, Dec. 11.—William Wringley Jr. Company Limited has decided all money owing it in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta from December 12, 1930, to May 12, 1931, shall be accumulated to purchase wheat for delivery in May, 1931. P. A. Ross, president of the company, announced last night. In other words, he said, the company proposes to take wheat in exchange for the firm's products. The purpose is threefold:

1. We do not take cash out of Western Canada, but on the contrary we leave our money in Western Canada, in Western Canada's own coin—wheat.

2. We believe wheat at 65c per bushel is cheap and that we will make money by locking up some of the Company's resources in wheat and holding it indefinitely if necessary.

3. We believe our plan will relieve, to the extent of our ability, the carrying strain on farmers, pools, Western business and banks, at this critical time in Western Canada's affairs.

If wheat goes up, as we feel is probable, we will profit. But, if it goes down, we become partners with the West, and as such, take our loss with them. Our real object is to let Western Canada pay us in kind—pay in wheat for what the West owes us. And unless wheat goes up we propose to invest further of the Company's resources in wheat until we actually own one million bushels.

FORMER ALBERTA POSTAL OFFICIAL SENT TO PRISON

Edmonton, Dec. 13.—John Houle, former assistant postmaster at Islay, Friday was sentenced to three years imprisonment for theft from His Majesty's mails. He confessed to stealing \$8,000 cash from a registered mail bag at Islay Wednesday morning and entered a plea of guilty.

In imposing sentence—the minimum under the law—at the opening of Supreme Court Criminal Sessions here Friday afternoon, Mr. Justice Walsh said he did not regard Houle as a criminal in the common sense of the term, but considered he had "gone off his head" a little and committed the theft.

BY-ELECTION AT EDMONTON JAN. 9

Edmonton, Dec. 10.—Voting day will come for Edmonton again on Friday, January 9. A writ was issued by the government Tuesday afternoon, fixing that date for the by-election to fill the vacancy in the city representation in the provincial legislature caused by the death of Col. C. Y. Weaver. Nomination day will be December 20.

The selection of candidates for the vacant seat will now, it is expected, proceed forthwith. To date the only candidate definitely in the field is the Conservative standard bearer, Col. F. G. Jamieson, who has been nominated by his party.

"The Bonds of Empire and How to Strengthen Them" was the subject of a very interesting and enlightening address at the Wetaskiwin Kiwanian Club on Tuesday evening last. The speaker was Kiwanian Duggan of Edmonton, and his talk was one of the finest ever heard at the Club here. He stated that the whole British Empire was coming to know the importance of uniting all nations which are working under the British Legion. The British Empire League of Nations represented one-fourth of the world's land surface, as well as one-fourth of the population of the world. Today the British Empire handles 60% of the world's shipping, while London is the money centre of the world, as well as the telephone centre, and prior to the world war, was recognized as the financial centre as well.

In speaking of the constitutional aspect of the subject, Mr. Duggan brought out three points, namely, the first British Empire ended with the American revolution, when we lost the U.S.A. The second period was one of expansion, in which the British trade reached all over the world, and developed one-fourth of the world's possessions. This was ended with the Great War. We have entered upon the third period, in which the Commonwealth of nations have their freedom, and enjoy freedom of actions as well as equal status, and are now trading with the world as though they were independent nations.

There are several bonds that bind the nations together, among them being the principle of monarchy, as it practised in Great Britain where the people are the sovereign power. The British Navy is also a strong factor. A United States estimate of the number of miles the British Navy steamed in June, 1913, totalled eight million miles, or fifteen times around the world. This is all an instance of how they policed the world during the days of the war. The bonds of tradition are of mutual interest and they bind the people of the British Empire with common literature and common interests, dating back thousands of years.

These bonds may be strengthened by developing good will among the nations, and there is a strong feeling that this must be preserved and developed. British history should also be taught in the schools, stressing these things, and the sense of oneness must be kept paramount in our minds. In referring to the Imperial Conference, the speaker regretted that the efforts did not appear to be very fruitful, but it is sincerely hoped that the meeting to be held in Ottawa next summer will bring nations of the British flag to a general understanding and that trade relationships will be arranged which will be for the mutual economic benefit of all. Mr. Duggan concluded by stressing the fact that we should do all we can to develop a sentiment in favor of the British Empire, throughout the land.

Miss Jessup of Edmonton, rendered several solos and encores, which delighted the gathering. Madame Duggan was the accompanist. A number of the Kiwanians were accompanied by their wives, and a delightful time was spent by all.

DUCK SHOOTING STILL COMMON NEAR PROVOST

Provost, Dec. 13.—Duck shooting closes officially on December 15 and this year for the first time in the history of Alberta there is a probability that shooting will be good for the whole season. The birds are still here in thousands, though, not easy to get at. One party, Tuesday evening, brought home 53 ducks and another party at three bagged 26 fine mallards in the Stainesleigh district.


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in the money order department of
the local post office, it is evident
that a great amount of money is be-
ing sent to mail order houses for
Christmas goods. In many instances,
no doubt, articles are being purchas-
ed which could be obtained equally
as cheaply right here in our home
town. Before sending your money
away from your own locality
why not read the advertisements of
prices of your local merchants? These
men are doing heroic work in carry-
ing credit for goods obtained by
those unable to pay for the neces-
sities of life. The general welfare of
any community rests upon the will-
ingness of the local merchant to ex-
tend credit in times of stress. In
many cases, you will find they can
compete both in price and quality
with the mail order houses. There
can be no question as to who is best
entitled to your patronage. Your
money spent in your own locality
circulates there and passes from the
baker to the butcher and from the
tinker to the tailor, and so on right
along the line. Further, it gives em-
ployment to many men in the local
stores, sustaining their buying pow-
er. In the aggregate, this means, pos-
sibly, that you, too, will have em-
ployment through the ability of oth-
ers to buy your product. Think
over. If you can reason clearly, you
will come to the conclusion that to
end depression and bring about a
quicker return of prosperity right
here around about you, your best plan
is to spend what you have to spend
right in your own town. Let's all
pull together. Your money circulat-
ing in Saskatchewan, Calgary, Regina or
Winnipeg creates business and em-
ployment there—but at the sacrifice
of your own well-being and that of
the community you live in. We ask
you, in all sincerity, to be patriotic
to the good old home town. To the
full extent of the manner in which
you "cast your bread upon the wa-
ters" it will be returned to you.

BUY IT NOW

(By Walt Mason)

If you plan to buy an axe, or a
chunk of sealing wax, or a pair of
jumping jacks, or a cow; if you
plan to blow a sard for a patent
lever pad or a can of business shot,
do it now. There's a large supply
of rocks, we have rubies in the
crockers, in the old tobacco box,
which is fine; there are bundles,
ranks on ranks, in the nation's sav-
ing banks, we have kopecks, we
have francs, in the bribe. But our
best have all been sold and we
thought it best to hold any small
supply of gold we might own; for
the gloomy prophets spied of such
terrors now afield that our rich red
blood congealed, cold as stone. So
we cut out spending cash lest the
country go to smash, and we'd need
the coin for hash for our kids; so
we bought no kitchen range, and
no cure for itch or mange, and we
didn't blow our change for new lids.
Let us spend some chicken-feed, and
commerce will up-sped, we
may swear; and the gloom will be
destroyed, there'll be jobs for un-
employed, and good times will be
enjoyed, everywhere. If you plan
to buy a cat, or a new Angora cat,
or a fine Parisian hat, for your
frat; if you plan to take a slant at
a present for your aunt that will
make her gasp and pant, do it
now. Now is the accepted time to
blow in the hoarded dime for a
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DO IT THE RIGHT WAY

The final stage in preparing poultry
for market, killing and dressing,
is most important. Be sure you do it
the right way and get the full value
for your birds. Just a little careles-
ness, a little indifference to proper
bleeding and plucking, and the pre-
mium of one grade or more is lost.
The discoloration which follows im-
proper and insufficient bleeding, a
tear in the skin from careless pluck-
ing, dirt or soil on the finished car-
cass, all lower the quality of the bird
by at least one grade. For the pre-
sent at least the most practical place
for preparing finished poultry for
market is on the farm. Before at-
tempting to kill and dress poultry,
for market farmers will find it well
worth while to get in touch with the
nearest representative of their Pro-
vincial or Federal Department of Ag-
riculture, through whom a demon-
stration in the proper method of kill-
ing and dressing poultry may be ar-
ranged.

PINS AND MEN

A pin must be pushed to make it
go—so must most men.
A pin needs polish to do its work
smoothly—so does a man.
A pin to get out of a hole must
have a pull—so must a man.
When a pin sticks too long in one
place it gets rusty—so does a man.
A pin with a big head is not much
good—neither is a man.
The head of a pin prevents it from
going too far—so does the head of
some men.
A straight pin under pressure of-
ten becomes crooked—so will a
strait man.
Finally, there are white pins, black
pins, crooked pins, long pins, good
pins, smooth pins, rough pins, strong
pins, weak pins, short pins—and the
world is full of the same kind of
men.

She—"Funny no one seemed to
realize what a bad egg he was while
he was rich."
He—"My dear, a bad egg is only
known when it's broken."

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ing.—Ed.)

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To the Editor:
Sir:
I see in the paper today an item
regarding Mrs. Rick's turkey, so I
will give you another if you wish to
use it.
After saving out 40 of my best tur-
keys to have banded according to the
Record of Merit for Turkeys
scheme, I marketed the remaining 64
birds which averaged 16 1/2 lbs. each.
I have been saving only banded stock
for three years, and know it pays to
keep the best and then take good
care of them.

Mrs. M. GRANT,
R.R. 2, Wetaskiwin.

THE 49 PER CENT.

To the Editor:
Sir,—It has been heavily im-
pressed upon us that the Canadian
wheat pool are in control of 51 per
cent of the wheat acreage in Canada.
The officers of this organization and
their central selling agency have
failed lamentably in financing the af-
fairs of the pool. As a remedy, their
members propose a 100 per cent com-
pulsory pool of the wheat growers.
They are taking a vote of the mem-
bers who own the 51 per cent acre-
age to determine whether or not they
shall compel the growers of 49 per
cent to share their misfortunes.

Now why was there not a 100 per
cent pool from the beginning? Was
it not largely through lack of con-
fidence in the management of the
men at the head of the pool? Had
not this lack of confidence been am-
ply justified by recent events? The
99 per cent of grain companies
who are serving the grain grow-
ers of 49 per cent of wheat acre-
age have conducted their own busi-
ness on their own credit. They have
paid such prices for grain as
resulted in growers staying with
them and justified banks financing
them without government guaran-
tees. Today, and their clients
independent business men, per-
mitted to think and act for
themselves, standing on their own
feet, paying their own bills, penal-
ized for their own mistakes, not
merely excusing them.

Not only do members of the
wheat pool talk of forcing all grain
growers to help pay for their errors
of omission and commission, but they
have already called up the govern-
ments of the three prairie provinces
for credit support at the banks, and
have received it, and are now hope-
fully waiting for the Dominion
government to shoulder their load.
In the meantime if the management
of the Canadian wheat pool has
effected any personal economies or
any retrenchment of expenses in
operation it has not been stressed
by the press through the conference
at Calgary would have been an op-
portunity time for very drastic re-
forms along this line.

GEO. F. ROOT.

PLANNING THE BARN

When the farmer goes to the ex-
pense of building a barn or stable to
house his livestock he wants to be
sure that the building will suit his
needs and serve his purpose ade-
quately over a consistent period of
time. Barns cost money and must be
considered from the standpoint of
permanent investment.

G. B. Rothwell, Dominion Animal
Husbandman of the Department of
Agriculture, Ottawa, calls attention
to seven important points which



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have to be considered in the con-
struction of farm buildings:

1. Position in relation to other
buildings, desirable location and ex-
posure, grade, etc.
2. Permanence of construction.
3. Economy of construction and
up'keep.
4. Suitability as concerning the
comfort, cleanliness and special re-
quirements of different classes and
ages of stock.
5. Convenience of arrangement as
reducing labor.
6. Labor-saving equipment and de-
vices, either purchased or home con-
structed.
7. Sanitation and health of live
stock, involving such important fac-
tors as ventilation, temperature con-
trol, relative humidity, drainage,
light, etc.

All of these points must be consid-
ered when planning a farm building
and each is more or less dependent
on the others. As a general rule the
simplest shelter construction is the
best, provided one adheres to the im-
portant fundamental principles.

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livestock which require relatively
warm quarters. These include the

dairy cow, the calf, the early farrow-
ing sow, the horse that is closely
coned or tied in a stall.

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Paintearth No. 1 well of the Hud-
son's Bay Oil and Gas Company,

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clear them up for any length of time.
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appear, but they would come back
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SIXTEENTH INSTALLMENT
WHAT HAS GONE BEFORE
Giles Chittenden sets out to make Julie Farrow love him, intending to throw her over in revenge for the suicide of his brother Rodney, whom Julie had cast off. He succeeds, but finds that he has fallen desperately in love with her himself. Then he discovers that it was not this Julie Farrow, but her cousin of the same name, who had driven his brother to death. But Giles is revengeful to the side of his brother Rodney, and an American girl named Sadie Barrow, with whom he has not lived for a long time. Sadie unexpectedly turns up in London, as a party at Giles' mother's house, but both keep silent about their marriage.

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"Kiss my lips—kiss my lips—
"Sadie!"
He held back from her for a moment, then gave way. He kissed her lips kindly enough, but with no warmth or passion, and she pushed him from her petulantly.
"Go away. You don't love me. You hate being with me."
And a storm of tears came, and bitter sobbing.
Chittenden went out to Bim, who

Early that morning, just as it was getting light, they found Sadie on the pavement below her window—quite dead.
A little later Schofield meets a man who tells him that he, too, was waiting for him, his face set and white, and his eyes miserable. "I can't stand this much longer," he told her as they drove away. "It's an impossible situation. God only knows what the end will be." But the whole world knew the end when, on Monday morning, after a hopeless search along a chain of false clues which led them nowhere, Bim and Chittenden returned to town.
There was an urgent telephone call from Sadie's nursing home. Would Mr. Chittenden please come immediately.
"I'll go with you," Bim said at once, and looking at Chittenden's white face, she hated herself for saying: "Perhaps it's good news. Perhaps she is recovering her sight."
"I hope so. God knows, I hope so," Chittenden answered.
But it was something very different. Early that morning, just as it was getting light, they had found Sadie lying on the pavement below her window—quite dead.
"It must have been an accident—they told him for his comfort. "She must have tried to open the window—the nurse had left her alone for a few minutes—and we think she lost her balance. Last night she was quite cheerful and hopeful, and looking forward to seeing you to-day. We are sure it must have been an accident."
Chittenden drew no answer, and presently Bim drew the nurse aside to whisper: "Would she—do you think she would ever have recovered her sight?"
There was a little silence before the answer came.
"The doctors were hopeful—but—the nurse shook her head. "I don't think Mrs. Chittenden herself ever had any real hope."
Bim walked to the window and looked out. The sun was shining, and the air was soft and warm. She closed her own eyes and tried to imagine what Sadie had suffered. To be blind! Never to see the sunlight or the flowers, or a beloved face.
She turned and crossed the room to Chittenden. She understood so well what he was feeling, how his heart must be torn with remorse and grief, and yet through it all she knew he must be conscious of a great and overwhelming relief.
She slipped a hand into his.
"At any rate, wherever she is, she can see the sunshine again."
There had been no definite plan in Julie's mind when she ran away from London.
She had no idea where she meant to go, but she had taken a ticket to Folkestone because it was the first place that occurred to her, and because she had once spent a happy holiday there.
It was only at mid-day when she reached Folkestone that the idea occurred to her to cross over to France. It was only a little journey, but there was something comforting in the knowledge that she could so easily put the width of the sea between herself and the things from which she desired to escape.
She crossed to Ostend by the mid-day boat and took a room in a cheap little pension which at any rate had the merit of great cleanliness. And there Julie stayed for a fortnight, sleeping and resting, and trying to forget.
She never thought of Schofield—it was too bitter a memory. He had been the rock in her sea of distress to which she had always unconsciously clung, and he had failed her even as everything else had failed her.
And then one evening as she was walking along by the sea with the sunset light in her face, she met him. He looked ill, she thought, and old! And as her eyes searched his face, it seemed impossible that only a few days ago she had seen him and talked to him—surely months must have dragged away since she told him he must go out of her life. And Schofield gripped her wrist

with fingers that bruised, as he said hoarsely—"Thank God—I've found you."

Julie managed a laugh.
"Do you know that you actually sound sincere?" she taunted him.
"I was never more sincere in my life. Where can we go to be alone? I have so much to say to you—"

Julie glanced down the almost deserted sea front.
"If you have anything to say that must be said, I hardly think any one will overhear you. But I am in a hurry—"

Her voice broke angrily.
"We have been hunting for you ever since you left London." His agitation was unmistakable; she could feel how his hand shook as he held her wrist.

Julie laughed again.
"We—she queried.
"Yes—Giles Chittenden and myself."

"Giles Chittenden?" The colour died from her face. "I am indeed honoured," she said with a bitter sneer.

Schofield winced as if she had hurt him.
"Don't talk like that. If you only knew. Oh, Julie, let me explain—let me try to explain—"

"There is nothing to explain—nothing I want to hear."
"You don't mean that—it's not like you to be hard and cruel."

She tried to free herself.
"Let me go. You and I have finished with each other."
"Yes." He released her wrist, but now she made no effort to leave him; there was a haunting sadness in his eyes that still held her against her will. "But there is still Chittenden," he said very quietly.

Julie tried to speak, but no words would come, and before she could resist he had drawn her down to sit beside him on one of the seats overlooking the sea and was holding her hand in both his.

"We've been searching for you day and night, Julie—it seems a lifetime since you went away—"

Her lip curled scornfully.
"A lifetime! only two weeks—"

"Sometimes two days can be an eternity," he told her with unusual eloquence. He did not heed when she tried to interrupt him; he went on rapidly:

"So much seems to have happened since—since you and I parted. You know—I stopped abruptly, only to go on again with quiet deliberation. "Chittenden's wife is dead—Chittenden is free."

Julie tried to speak, but her lips felt too cold to frame any words. She staring before her at the fading sunset with a sense of numbed reality.

Chittenden's wife was dead! Sadie dead! Sadie!—Sadie to have died like the butterfly she had been, after a few short hours of vain fluttering in the sunshine.

Like a voice a dream she heard Schofield speaking again.
"We've searched for you everywhere—Miss Lennox—"

"Oh—Bim!"
Bim had never failed her—the only friend who had not.

He went on without noticing the interruption. "We've searched everywhere—Miss Lennox—and Chittenden and I. It is pure chance that I came here to-day, something seemed to force me to come."

"Poor Lawrence!" Julie whispered. He winced and turned his face away.

"I've been a fool—all my own fault—and yet—you never cared for me, Julie—I always knew that you never cared."

"I don't care for anyone," she said harshly. "I will never care for any one again. It hurts too much—it's not worth the little happiness one gets out of them in return."

They were both silent for a moment, then she broke out feverishly: "Why did you send my letter back to me? why were you so cruel?"

He told her unhesitatingly: "A man named Lombard—a man named

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OLD SANTA'S RIVAL

(By E. A. Fletcher)

Dorothy Jameson knew she need only hint for something and it was hers. George would see to that; big, generous George, who, all through their married life had given freely and unquestioningly. If it was, indeed, his only pleasure to be a lavish provider, and his own successful business ventures permitted him full indulgence.

But now, this Christmas, Dorothy Jameson faced a problem, as big in her own social scheme of things as any George had tackled and overcome in his business enterprises. Bluntly, one morning, he had asked her what she would like for Christmas. She stuttered. She should, he was able to think of something. It was silly to think that she must hesitate when she knew that George would fulfill her most unreasonable request. But there was really nothing that she wanted; at least, nothing that she could bring to mind at the moment. And so she dismissed the question with a laugh. "You'll know in time for Christmas, George," she said. "I couldn't imagine any Christmas where you and Santa Claus couldn't share the honors."

Dorothy thought of many things she had wished for at one time or another, but they all seemed so trivially unimportant. She had furs, jewels and clothes. She possessed, she thought, every luxury for herself and home. Automobiles, servants, priceless antique furniture, oil paintings by well-known artists. Even the attic of her home was cluttered now with the expensive gifts George had endowed her with on every occasion that found outlet for his wholesome generosity.

It was Edith Blake who gave Dorothy an idea, and Edith was the last person in the world whom Dorothy thought was in a position to know much about real home luxury. Since Edith married Gordon they had had pretty much of a struggle to make ends meet, and Dorothy, in the succeeding years, had drifted away from the two. Edith's invitation to bridge and tea came pretty much as a surprise, therefore, and Dorothy accepted with hesitation after polite yet unconvincing excuses proved unavailing.

Edith had no servants—she wore no costly jewels or clothing. She possessed none of the rare treasures of the home that George had squander-

ed his money on, almost recklessly, to make his dwelling and Dorothy's complete in every costly detail. Edith's home was small and neat and clean. And, she told Dorothy, she lived in comfort and happiness she had never known before. Dorothy wondered that household drudgery had not left its mark upon Edith. She was amazed, too, at the distinctness of the tea she served, at the ease with which it was prepared, and at the cleanliness of everything that confronted her in the snug little home.

Dorothy knew Edith well enough to ask her how she managed in such an apparently successful manner, when, she implied vaguely, her own husband had so much more than Edith's and had given her everything for the home her heart desired.

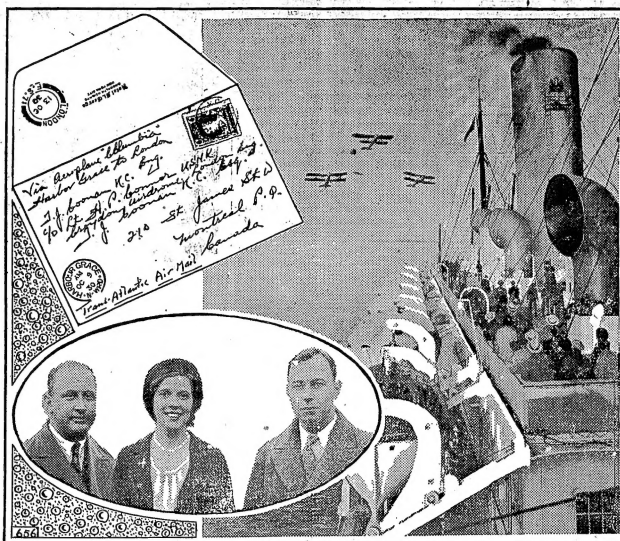
Here was where Dorothy got her idea for her Christmas demand from George. Edith took her on a tour of the whole house. She started in the basement and explained the oil-electric and electric water heater installations her husband had insisted on as one of their first investments. Next, in the laundry room, she took more time to explain the labor-saving qualities of her electric iron, her electric washing machine and clothes dryer. Upstairs, in the kitchen and breakfast room, Edith proudly displayed her electric toaster, coffee percolator, grill and waffle iron. Then she explained all about her new refrigerator, declaring that it was one of her greatest aids in keeping sandwiches and salads cool and fresh until the time for serving. In her own bedroom she revealed the uses of her curling iron and domestic sun lamp. Besides all these, she pointed out to Dorothy her two electric fans, her vacuum cleaner, and, in case of sickness, her warming pad.

"And I am asking Gordon to buy me one of the new radios for Christmas," she told Dorothy with enthusiasm. "The radio we've had, although out of date now, has taught us the comfort and enjoyment that can be gained from this form of entertainment."

Dorothy told George that night she described Edith's home in detail. "The cutest, coziest thing imaginable," she said, explaining that the Blakes had bought their electrical appliances piece by piece. "They have totalled the cost of everything," she added, "and it only amounts to \$700. Why, we haven't half the number of useful electric things in our home the Blakes have."

That was enough for George. He

Planes Welcome Heroes of the Air



First Canadian to cross the Atlantic in a heavier-than-air machine, Captain J. Errol Boyd, and his American navigator, Lieut. Harry P. Connor, had a royal reception by land and air when they arrived in Montreal recently aboard Canadian Pacific liner, the Duchess of Bedford. Their historic flight commenced September 13 from St. Hubert airport near Montreal and they landed the same day at Charlottetown, P.E.I. Thereafter contrary weather delayed the adventure but eventually they took off from Harbor Grace, Newfoundland, October 9 and 24 hours later reached the coast of Ireland. They were in London

October 12 and the envelope in the above illustration shows dates of receipt and delivery corresponding to above times. Five airplanes met the Duchess of Bedford down the river and of these, three, representing the Montreal Light Aeroplane Club, are shown welcoming the flyers and the ship. Captain Boyd was met by his wife when the ship docked at Quebec and came up the river with him. Photograph shows him and Mrs. Boyd and Lieut. Connor. A civic reception was accorded the aviators and thousands listened to their short addresses over the radio.

set things in motion next day. He let it be known that he wanted his home electrically equipped "on the large scale." And if the Blakes were getting a new radio, he wanted one too—the best that money could buy. The salesman explained why many of the smaller homes were more efficiently electrified than larger, more costly establishments. The skilled artisan, mechanic or office worker is intimately familiar with domestic routine. Often he shares in it and is consequently, more readily convinced of the need for modernization. In the outcome, he is often better fed and better cared for than the well-to-do citizen in the home where servants struggle with antiquated, inefficient equipment.

It was the happiest Christmas George had ever spent, mainly because Dorothy was so enthusiastic about every new electrical appliance. And, of course, George had had his chance to outlive Santa Claus.

SHORT FISH SEASON FOR PIGEON LAKE

Pigeon Lake is to be thrown open for fishing from midnight December 15 until noon on December 18, a total of two and one-half days, according to Hon. R. G. Reid, minister of lands and mines.

The lake will then be closed until February 15. In furtherance of his announcement, the minister stated that there was no immediate market for the fish in sight, and a few days ago R. T. Rodd, in charge of the fisheries branch, interviewed fishermen in the neighborhood of the lake, and it was mutually agreed that two and one-half days' fishing would supply current needs, and that after the New Year the prospects for a wider market and heavier demand were bright.

UNIVERSITY EXHIBITS PRIZE CATTLE

The exhibit from the University of Alberta was an outstanding feature of the Market Bred Classes at this year's Royal Agricultural Winter Fair, held at Toronto last month. The championship in the grade and crossbred classes was won by the University as well as two reserve breed championships in Shorthorns and Herefords—four firsts, four seconds, three thirds, four fourths, three fifths, two sixths and three sevenths completed the winnings of the University steers. Every animal of the nineteen entered obtained a placing. Considerable credit for the success of this year's showing must be given, as it has in the past, to the co-operation of the various breeders in the Province who have contributed animals to be fitted and exhibited by the University.

INMATES ESCAPE WHEN ASYLUM BURNS

Quebec, Dec. 15.—Twenty minutes after fire broke out in the east wing of St. Michael Archangel Asylum for the Insane Saturday night, 1,000 inmates had been removed to safety. The fire destroyed the entire wing of the institution with a loss estimated at \$700,000. (Not until 12 hours after the outbreak were firemen recalled from the scene.)

The section of the hospital attacked is used to house male patients, who were safely removed to another wing soon after the outbreak. Practically the whole of the fire-fighting force of Quebec were dispatched to Beaufort. At one time it looked as if the flames would spread to the remainder of the hospital, but the firemen managed to isolate them.

SAUCY CHILDREN

(By Wilfred Wees)

(By Wilfred Wees, Camrose Normal School)

Saucy children are inconvenient at all times. If there is company in the house they are mortifying. "Marry, bring me the scissors." "I'm busy." "Did you hear what I said? Bring me the scissors." "Did you hear what I said? I'm busy." "Young lady, go this minute and do as you are told." "I won't." "Very well. We'll see who's boss. I never saw such children in my life."

There are sounds of a lively tussle out of which Mary emerges defeated. She pounds angrily upon the scissors and when she brings them back she throws them loudly on the table. At that moment she dislikes her mother, vehemently, and the next day she is not likely to be more obedient about washing the dishes than she was today about fetching the scissors.

The mother's day is a continual round of sighs, and exasperations, and she wonders why it is that she has to be cursed with such disobedient, saucy children.

If the mother were to review candidly the history of her children's development it is not unlikely that she would find elements of similarity between the conduct of her own children and that of Lois J.

Another illustration

Lois was brought to the clinic because her mother "couldn't do anything with her." Lois was to be left at the clinic for a day or two for study. When her mother was leaving the conversation between her and her child went something like this:

"Now you behave, my girl, or you'll get a trimming when you get home."

"No, I won't."

"You sure will."

"I won't."

"Now say here, you shut right up or I'll thrash you right now."

"Just try it."

The dialogue seemed not likely to end of its own accord, so the attendants interrupted and requested the mother to leave the child with her.

But the conversation between the mother and daughter had suggested the line of correction. The prescription was one for the mother—rather than the child. She was given the following advice:

1. Never give the child a command. Always make a request. Be as polite to the child as you expect her to be to you.

2. If the request is not complied with do not lose your temper. Simply inform the child quietly that she will be deprived, in return, of some benefit that you do for her.

3. Do not fail to carry out your promise of deprivation in every case.

The mother carried out the prescription to the letter and three months later reported that she could hardly realize that Lois was the same child.

who are well-mannered with their children may justifiably expect them to be polite.

WRONG LICENSE

"Pardon me," said the little man, "but are you quite sure it was a marriage license that you gave me last Christmas?"

The clerk prepared to turn up the particulars. "Why, yes, sir, of course," he said. "But why do you ask?"

"Well, I've been leading a dog's life ever since, that's all."

Here and There

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Among the events of major importance to distinguish the coming winter sports season in Quebec will be the International Dog-Sled Derby to be held February 19-21 over a 120-mile course. It is expected Emile St. Godard, four times winner of the trophy, will defend his title. The Massadene-Bell at the Chateau Frontenac will be another high light on February 20.

Other events will be the International Convention of Snowshoe Clubs from Canada and New England and the annual ice canoe race through the flocks of the St. Lawrence about the middle of February.

The sporty seaside lay-out of the Victoria Golf Club where the third annual mid-winter golf tournament will be staged from February 23 to 28 came in for unstinted praise from Gene Sarazen, former United States open champion, and Al Espinosa, of Chicago, interviewed recently. "I thought Victoria would be a land of ice and snow around this time and that Vancouver Island was a suburb of the frozen north," he said. His visit provided him with one of the surprises of his golfing career and both climatically and from the golfing point of view, Victoria was in both his and Espinosa's opinion ideal.

Making fast time in handling the annual inbound movement of the fruit, now as much a part of the Christmas board in western Canada as the turkey or mistletoe, a Canadian Pacific train of 26 cars carrying about 60,000 boxes of Japanese oranges reached Victoria recently after making the run through the mountains from Vancouver in fifteen minutes less than scheduled passenger train time. By mid-December it is calculated that 700,000 boxes of these oranges will have been delivered.

Colorful Yuletide pageantry, including the ceremony of bringing in the boar's head and Yule log will be observed at the Empress Hotel, Victoria, Christmas Day and carol singers, a chef in Elizabethan costume attended by page boys and a court jester in cap and bells will accompany them through rotunda and dining room to the place of honor where the Lieutenant-Governor R. Randolph Bruce who is sponsoring the celebrations, will be seated.

Last week 970 letters came in one day to the 14th station of the Canadian Pacific Railway from Melody Mike fans. They came from cities, towns and villages all over Canada and included many from the United States. It is an all-Canadian radio feature declared by radio station people to be, with one exception, the most popular feature on the air today.

The Emperor of Japan is among the recent new customers for British Columbia pure-bred poultry. A consignment of selected birds which sold for \$4500, from some of the best poultry farms in British Columbia, was recently shipped to the Imperial farms. Each of the hens in the consignment has a record of 300 eggs or better per year.

Entered in competition with several countries, an exhibit of game trophies from British Columbia recently won highest award at the famous Leipzig (Germany) Fair. It included giant moose, deer, walrus, sheep and goat heads and skins of fur-bearing animals.

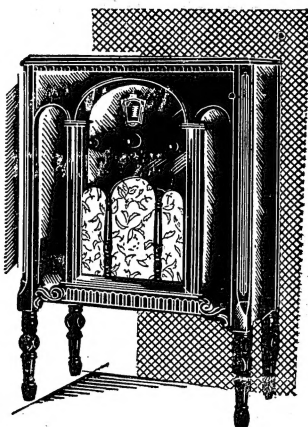
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No. 2 Northern	30
No. 3 Northern	28
No. 4 Wheat	23
No. 5 Wheat	19
Feed Wheat	12
Oats	14
Barley	13
Rye	11
Steers	5.00 to 5.50
Cows	4.50 to 4.00
Lamb	5.00 to 8.00
Butter	27-28.18
Eggs	27-28.18

WEEKLY STOCK MARKET REPORT

The following is a weekly report from the Edmonton Stock Yards, prepared by a Times representative, for the week ending December 16th.

Receipts: Cattle, 930; calves, 135; hogs, 2393; sheep, 510.

Due to the approaching holiday season, the market is decidedly dull and inactive as buyers are indifferent in their demands. In consequence salesmen are finding it difficult to move their offerings, particularly of plain and interbreed kinds of heavy cattle. Prices on the whole this week are showing a weaker tone.

Good feed calves selling at \$6.00 to \$6.50. The general run of good butcher steers and heifers going at \$5.00 to \$5.50, common to mediums \$3.75 to \$4.25. Good to choice butcher cows \$3.75 to \$4.25, common to medium \$2.50 to \$3.50. Canners and cutters \$1.00 to \$2.25; bulls \$2.50 to \$3.00.

Stockers and feeder steers are decidedly slow in moving and showing a weaker tone. The general run of stocker steers going at \$4.00 to \$4.50. A fair demand continues for stocker cows and heifers; general run of heifers selling at \$4.00 to \$4.75; cows \$3.00 to \$3.75.

There is no material change noticeable on the calf market this week. Bulk of the good to choice light calves selling at \$7.50 to \$8.50, common to medium kinds \$4.00 to \$6.00.

The few hog arrivals on offer so far this week sold at \$3.35 for hogs, \$3.85 for sows and \$4.00 for butchers fed and watered. Cuts on the offgrade hogs are unchanged and as follows: Heavies \$1.00, extra-heavies \$1.50, No. 1 sows \$2.00, other sows \$3.00 and rough hogs \$4.00.

Sheep and lamb receipts this week have really been insufficient to establish a market; prices quoted steady. Choice lightweight lambs quoted up to \$7.50, the general run of butcher lambs at \$6.50 to \$7.25, yearlings at \$4.50 to \$5.50 and ewes at \$3.00 to \$4.50.

LONE RIDGE

The Lone Ridge U.F.A. are holding their annual picnic for the children in the Lone Ridge hall at 2 p.m. on December 31st. Everybody come and bring the children.

102,006 CARS IN ALBERTA IN 1930

Edmonton, Dec. 10.—Motorcar license figures have made a record in Alberta this year, reaching a total of 102,006, as compared with 97,556 for the corresponding period of 1929. Licenses were issued for 100,006 passenger cars and trucks, 500 delivery cars, and 1,500 special plates for dealers.

M.D. OF MONTGOMERY NO. 468

NOTICE
All taxpayers are warned that a penalty of 5% will be added to all taxes unpaid on the 15th day of December, 1930.

GODFREY BAKER, Treasurer.

NOTICE

To JULIUS BUSIAHN, formerly of Rumsby, Alberta.

Take notice that in the Trial Division of the Supreme Court of Alberta, Judicial District of Calgary, the Manufacturers Life Insurance Company has commenced action No. 3275 against you claiming the sum of \$49,451.18 with interest at the rate of 8% per annum from the 1st day of November A.D. 1930 under a mortgage dated the 11th day of April A.D. 1921 and registered in the Land Titles Office at Calgary on the 18th day of April A.D. 1921 as No. 8460. C.F. in respect of the R. 1/2 S. 6 and S. W. 1/2 S. 6 in T. 33, R. 21, W. 4th Meridian, Alberta and for sale or foreclosure.

And further take Notice that unless you deliver (a) A Statement of Defence or (b) A Demand of Notice on or before the 7th day of January A.D. 1931 the Plaintiff may proceed with this action and judgment may be given against you in your absence.

Dated at Calgary, Alberta, this 2nd day of December A.D. 1930.
Approved:
(Sgd.) L. F. CLARRY, M.C.
(Sgd.) W. MAXWELL, Clerk in Chambers.

Neighborhood NEWS

FALUN

A delightful evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Ratnay, on Saturday, December 13, when the Falun W.I. and friends met for a "500" party. Seven tables were played, the winners being Mrs. F. Kadlec and Mr. J. M. Jones, the consolation prizes going to Mrs. Richard Cronin and Mr. Albert Sundquist. A dainty lunch was served by the ladies.

Mrs. Leavenworth is leaving us shortly to visit her daughter in Nebraska. We all unite in wishing her a "bon voyage".

Mr. Ayrre is looking forward to Christmas now, and our children are busy practicing for their concerts. Santa will be sure to reward their efforts as usual.

WINFIELD

Mr. Montgomery, our Wetaskiwin member in the Provincial House, and Mr. Ainsworth, road inspector, were in town last week. While here, they made arrangements for the brushing of the road from Norbuck to Winfield as a relief for unemployment. This is a very necessary road and we are glad that work is started on it.

The pupils of Winfield school have already decorated the school room for Christmas. The concert comes off Monday evening, Dec. 22, and practising for the same goes on apace.

The fishwarden, Mr. Robb, passed through Winfield last week on his way to Buck Lake.

Mr. Ayrre is at present in charge of the Ross-Beard lumber yards at Antross.

Mr. M. Johnston and Mr. C. Dalheim, of Edgerton, have been guests of the former's brother-in-law, Mr. E. A. Taylor and of Mr. A. R. Alwood this week.

Mrs. MacVicar and little daughter, formerly of Winfield, now of Headley, were guests of Mrs. Groulx last Friday night, returning to Headley on Saturday morning's train.

Mr. Altwater of Bittern Lake, is visiting his sister, Mrs. Handbury, this week.

Mrs. Eric Johnson is a houseguest of Mrs. Roy Gibbons this week. The friends of Mr. Jas. Matthews, Norbuck, surprised him with a kitchen shower last Sunday evening. It was a success.

RADICAL FARM GROUP

ALBERTA BRANCH FORMED

Edmonton, Dec. 15.—Steps were taken in Edmonton on Sunday to organize the Alberta section of the Farmers' Unity League of Canada, when 153 delegates adopted principles outlined in what they termed the "Platform of Charter," already approved by organization meetings in Winnipeg, Regina and Saskatoon. Carl Axelsson, of Bigville, was elected Alberta representative to the national committee at headquarters at Saskatoon.

A demand for \$1,000 guarantee by the state for such former again featured the Farmers' Charter as a platform for the "left wing" agrarian movement. Present farm organizations were condemned as reactionary, and delegates were instructed to return home and call meetings for appointment of the next radical of "poorest" farmers an local committees of action in the "revolutionary" movement.

The central office was requested to take steps to extend the organization across the Dominion among farmers as the depression in agriculture was country-wide.

Declaring that the Wheat Pool was capitalist, several efforts were made to shelve without discussion a resolution calling for a 100 per cent pool but debate of the issue was forced in the end the resolution was amended so that the question was left to the individual.

Boycott of tax collectors' and sheriffs' sales, striking off tax arrears, free hospital service for poor farmers, state supported schools and insurance, were among resolutions approved. A batch of 50 were not reached, "as economic conditions would not permit delegates to remain in the city another day" and were passed along to the national committee.

The fifth organization meeting is to be held south of Calgary at an early date.

EDMONTON MAN FULLY CLEARED AFTER KILLING

Edmonton, Alta., Dec. 13.—Phillip A. Moore, charged with the murder of Eugene G. Fred Robert Lamont Tuesday night, was honorably discharged by Magistrate P. C. H. Primrose in city police court Friday afternoon. The dismissal was made upon the application of the Crown, no evidence being offered.

Lamont died as the result of a practical hold-up joke according to evidence given at the inquest Thursday. He had entered Moore's filling station, shouted "Stick up your hands," and dropped with a bullet through the heart from a revolver fired by Moore.

At the inquest evidence was given to the effect that Lamont had played similar hold-up jokes on two prior occasions.

will be remembered, that Mr. Matthews unfortunately lost the house in a bush fire on November 24th, so his friends brought kitchen utensils, vegetables, etc., for which kindness he desires to thank them greatly. A pleasant time was spent in singing, reading and music.

Mrs. Bernard was a dinner guest at the E. A. Taylor home last Monday evening.

We regret to learn of the death of Mr. Anderson, at Buck Lake, last Sunday. The body was conveyed from Winfield to Teferdville by Mr. Roy Gibbons.

Mr. and Mrs. Tait, Messrs Johnson, Alwood and Dalheim, were entertained at cribbage at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nelson, Mrs. Stady, Mrs. Johnson and Mrs. Sabin, called on Mr. and Mrs. Tait last Sunday.

BITTERN LAKE

Mr. S. Devall, Mr. and Mrs. H. Howarth and Wm. Altwater, motored to Winfield on Tuesday. Mr. Altwater remained for a few days to visit with his sister, Mrs. S. Handbury.

Old Man Winter has been very kind to us so far.

Ted Daley has returned to the Bittern Lake district.

E. W. Alm is busy hauling wood to Hazelwood and Son.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Daley, the newlyweds, came off Saturday night's train. A number of people were at the station with their rice bags to greet them.

NEW SWEDEN

Mr. Wingblad attended the sale held in the Baptist church in Edmonton last Saturday. He acted as auctioneer.

Mr. V. Axene went to Edmonton on Saturday, where he expects to be employed for some time.

We are sorry to learn that Mrs. Doupe is a patient in the Wetaskiwin hospital.

Mr. Litledahl and Leslie spent part of last week at Falun.

Mr. Gustaf Anderson motored to Edmonton on Monday.

Mrs. Arthur Peterson returned home on Monday from Edmonton, where she had undergone an operation.

A debate upon the liquor question and a card party was held in the Nashville school on Friday, the proceeds to go towards sending a delegate to the U.F.A. Convention.

Leonard Schantz had the good fortune to win a pair of geese at the turn-

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Key shoot at Jackson's last week. Now Leonard is going to raise geese. Milton Doupe and G. V. Watson took a truck load of hay to Edmonton last week.

BONNIE GLEN

Miss Walton, the Spring Hill school teacher, spent the weekend with her parents in Edmonton.

Messrs. Melvin Hough, Jas. Christenson and Everett Maine, returned from a successful hunting trip.

Mr. Wm. H. McColman was called away from his home Friday to attend to important business in Edmonton, causing his absence at the school meeting.

Mr. Oliver Hough motored to Edmonton to spend the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McColman were Pigeon Lake visitors Monday.

Misses Emma Lenz, Hazel Quick and Emma Sharkey, spent a very pleasant Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Franklin and family.

Messrs. Joe and Alex Sharkey re-

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No one under 21 can be served on licensed premises or buy from the Government liquor stores — the bootlegger will sell them, though!

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turned from hunting, reporting no luck.

Mr. Oliver Hough motored to Camrose Tuesday evening, returning to teach school the following day.

Christmas entertainment in Bonnie Glen school, December 23rd. Everyone welcome.

Messrs. C. Mayberry, T. Sutor and Mrs. John McColman motored to Edmonton Friday.

Messrs. Wm. Money and C. Mayberry of Didsbury, are visiting Mrs. John McColman and family.

Mr. Stanford Sunderland took a load of lumber to Lindale Monday.

Misses Emma Lenz and Emma Sharkey spent Friday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Clark.

Spring Hill Christmas tree will be in Mr. B. W. Oulmette's hotel on December 22nd.

Fishing is well on its way. Fishermen are preparing their nets and running their lines for the two days' fishing, December 15 to 16.

Mr. Thomas Cummins took a load of wheat to the mill in Wetaskiwin and had it ground for flour.

Mr. Benjamin Cummins has been on the sick list for a few days. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

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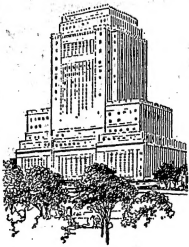
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Edited by

GRANT FLEMING, M.D., — ASSOCIATE SECRETARY

MEASLES

Of all the communicable diseases with which the human race has to contend, measles is the most readily spread. It is essentially a disease of childhood, and very few escape it. Rarely seen under five months of age it reaches its greatest incidence between the sixth and seventh year.

The younger the child, the more serious is the condition. Among the communicable diseases of childhood, measles ranks second as a cause of death, and approximately ninety per cent of deaths from measles occur in children under five years of age.

Because measles is a common disease, it is generally not taken seriously by parents, many of whom seem to regard it as an annoying experience which has to be gone through, as has the cutting of teeth.

This attitude of regarding measles as a trivial condition is not justifiable. True it is that the vast majority of children who contract the disease recover with no apparent ill results. It is also true, however, that measles destroys many lives. It may not appear that the child died of measles; in many cases it will be said that death was due to bronchopneumonia. This is correct, but the child would not have developed bronchopneumonia if he had not contracted measles.

Among the children who recover from an attack, there are many who will have some permanent damage done to eyes, ears, lungs, heart and other parts of the body. It is also observed that the general loss of resistance due to an attack of measles seems to favour the development of tuberculosis, and so we not infrequently see that measles gives tuber-

culosis a chance to establish itself in the child.

This serious picture of measles is presented in order to cause parents to realize why measles should be regarded seriously. The younger the child, the more serious the condition, so we should make every reasonable effort to prevent young children, particularly those under three years of age, from coming in contact with anyone suffering from the disease.

It is a well-established fact that if children with fever or acute colds are put to bed, and the condition later turns out to be measles, such children, because they have been kept warm and at rest in bed, are more apt to escape the serious complications. This suggests that bed is the place for the child who is sneezing, or who has a running nose and watery red eyes. The condition may not be measles, but it very often is, because measles begins with the same symptoms as the common cold, and, in both cases, the child should be put to bed.

Questions, concerning Health, addressed to the Canadian Medical Association, 184 College Street, Toronto, will be answered personally by letter.

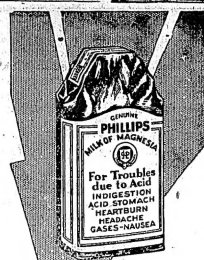
HEAVY TARIFF ON FARM STUFF URGED BY CAMROSE U.F.A.

Camrose, Dec. 15. — The annual meeting of the Camrose U.F.A. Provincial Constituency association was held in Camrose recently when a wide range of pertinent matters were discussed and several resolutions formulated which will be sent for consideration at the U.F.A. provincial convention which is called for next month. Hon. Yerser W. Smith, member for the Camrose constituency in the provincial legislature, was present and briefly addressed the delegates present.

Among the subjects to receive considerable attention and discussion were the question of tariffs, immigration, automobile licenses, gasoline tax, poultry grading, foreign trade relationships, foreclosure for mortgages and debt, and kindred matters.

Dealing with the tariffs two resolutions were passed. The first read as follows: "Whereas wheat at present prices is selling below cost of production, thereby causing grave financial distress; and whereas the farmers are now urged, as an economic remedy, to produce greater quantities of beef, pork, mutton and dairy products; and whereas there is just as great over-production in these commodities, and as a consequence loss to the producer as in the case of wheat unless we are assured of a profitable market; and whereas Canada is yet purchasing large supplies of farm products from other countries with which we cannot at all compete in price: Therefore be it resolved that we protest strongly against this unfair competition and ask the Dominion government to put heavier tariffs against all farm products coming into this country so that we may at least have the Canadian market assured for the Canadian farmer."

Another resolution dealing with tariffs commended the efforts of the Dominion Government towards establishing a chance to establish itself in the child.



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Establishing a condition of trade preference between Canada and Great Britain and urged that the federal government review trade treaties and trade exchanges with foreign countries and to, as far as possible, put such agreements on the same basis as formerly maintained where the balance of trade is now against the Dominion of Canada.

According to another resolution concerning the importation of corn it was decided to urge the Dominion Government to sponsor a campaign to foster a greater utilization of low grade wheat, as well as barley and oats to offset the present use of corn.

As to the admission into Canada of immigrants from Oriental countries the views of the convention were expressed as follows:

"Resolved that we, the United Farmers of Alberta, join with British Columbia in support of the farmers there in their campaign against the influx of oriental immigration."

The convention dealt with the matter of gasoline tax with the result that a resolution confirmed the desirability of calling upon the provincial government to rebate in full the tax imposed on gasoline where it is used for farm purposes.

It was felt, by the delegates that the present system of grading poultry is not satisfactory in that the method of marking the product as indicated on the container is neither a protection nor a benefit to either the producer or the consumer. To remedy this it was suggested that the government inspection grade be stamped on the bird instead of on the container.

The meeting brought out the belief of those present that all wheat should be handled by one agency and resolved that all Canadian wheat should be marketed under one marketing agency.

A resolution dealing with the status relating to mortgages and debts called upon the provincial government to take action at its next session to make provision that judges be given discretionary powers in dealing with matters of debt foreclosure.

SEDGEWICK ENTRY WINS HIGH HONOR

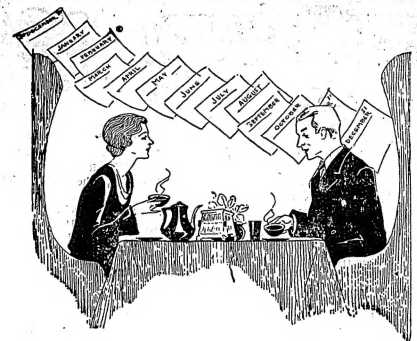
The champion bird in the Alberta Provincial poultry show is a white Rock pullet of exceptional type and quality exhibited by Mrs. T. H. Leslie, of Sedgewick, the judges decided on Thursday, among their last duties in connection with placing of awards at the show. This award carries with it the winning of the Medicine Hat Poultry Association special prize; and Mrs. Leslie also won the Ernest Meers

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The various poultry organizations in Alberta will be merged for greater efficiency and to make a greater contribution to the development of the industry in the province, it was decided at a meeting representative of the bodies affected held in Calgary last week. A resolution urging the federation and outlining the terms on which it might be effected was proposed by C. J. Ford, K.C., seconded by Dr. D. S. Macnab, and adopted unanimously by the meeting.

H. A. Craig, deputy minister of agriculture for Alberta, occupied the chair and spoke in support of the motion. Other speakers who expressed their support of the movement were T. A. Brazil, president of the Alberta Registered and Approved Flocks Association; G. M.

Cormie, provincial poultry commissioner; C. M. Baker, D. M. Main, of the Alberta Egg and Poultry Pool and Miss Helen Milne, instructor in poultry husbandry at the University of Alberta.

The first step in the suggested merger took place prior to the general meeting with the amalgamation of Registered and Approved Flocks Association and the Record of Performance Association.

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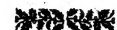
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FAREWELL PARTY

On Saturday evening, Dec. 13th, a farewell party was held at the home of Messrs. L. R. Rocco and A. J. Panset, in honor of Mr. E. J. Cant, who left on Sunday for Athabasca, to take up his new assignment with the Imperial Bank at that point. Singing and dancing was indulged in until midnight, after which a delicious lunch was served.

Those present to wish Mr. Cant bon voyage were, Mr. and Mrs. H. Pogue, Mrs. C. Theriault, Misses J. Ingles, R. Wright, R. Easterbrook, and G. Lee, Messrs. L. Rocco, A. J. Panset, C. Carney, A. Duncan, T. Goin and E. Easterbrook.

A good time was reported by all the young people, although we all regret, very much, Mr. Cant leaving our young people's circle. However, our loss is Athabasca's gain.

Mrs. Smith of the Parsonage, is quite ill. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Thirty cent wheat has apparently not discouraged Thompson Bros., who are busy clearing and grubbing land ready to break in 1931. They report that very little frost has been encountered to date.

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THIS PAGE DEVOTED TO THE INTERESTS OF MILLET AND DISTRICT
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MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Mr. Leonard Huyck was in Millet over the week-end.

Mrs. Howard is suffering with an attack of neuritis this week.

Mr. Donald McEwan of Mallowhurst, was in the village on business last week.

Miss Hazel Aikens of Wetaskiwin, was a visitor at the bazaar last Saturday.

Miss Eva Davis was a guest at the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Brinker.

Mr. Harry Scott has been on the sick list for the past few days with an attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Chas. Brinker, who accompanied her mother to Edmonton, was the guest of Mrs. Jesse Davis for the past two weeks.

Messrs. Lockhart, Just, Lyle, Earl, Will and Robert Elder, were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Elder on Sunday last.

Mrs. Chas. Brinker received word last week of the marriage of her niece, Miss Eva Davis, to Mr. Ernest Marteneau, of Le Goff, Alta.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Harvey spent the week-end with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Moeen, and other relatives in the district.

Mr. H. Raddus has taken charge of the Millet rinks. He hopes to have them ready to open by the 18th of December, if the weather continues favorable.

The Boy Scouts were on parade last Sunday at St. John's Anglican Church, under the able leadership of Mr. Moore. Mr. Backman, Provincial Commissioner, commended the boys on their appearance and efficiency.

An excellent and practical cook in the village of Millet, has promised to donate each week, for the benefit of women readers of our page, one recipe, tried, true, simple, economical and quickly made. Watch for it next week.

The many friends of Mrs. E. J. McEwan are pleased to hear she has returned from the Wetaskiwin hospital, where she underwent a minor operation. During convalescence she is visiting at the home of her son John, in Millet.

Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Goin of Killam, who have been visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Goin, left Monday for Portland, Ore. Mr. Tommy Goin accompanied them as far as Ghostly, Idaho, where he will spend the winter months.

Miss Kemp, of St. John's Mission, conducted the semi-annual social gathering of the Church Boys' League and Junior Auxiliary on Dec. 13th, in the Community hall. After a short program and exhibit of hand-craft work, tea was served. The afternoon was very much enjoyed by all present.

Sam Sourdough says: "One hundred years ago the beaver skin was the unit of commerce. The Factor sold a blanket or a bowie knife for so many skins. The laborer harnessed himself to a skow and plodded the river banks many a weary mile for so many skins per day, or the equivalent thereof in trade. Today, the bushel of wheat has taken the place of the beaver skin in the commerce of the land. What will it be one hundred years from today?"

MILLET W.I.

The December meeting of the W.I. at Mrs. Cohen's was well attended, also several visitors were welcomed. All enjoyed the community singing, as well as a duet by Mesdames Lee and Rowley, accompanied on the ukelele by Mrs. Rowley. After election of officers, a dainty lunch was served. At the next meeting at Mrs. V. C. Rowley's, a talk will be given on "Public Health and First Aid." The roll call will be "Don'ts for 1931," or "What I will not do in the New Year." The officers for the coming season are:

President—Mrs. H. Phillips (re-elected).
Vice-President—Mrs. R. Hoskins (re-elected).
Sec. Vice-President—Mrs. M. Nelson.
Sec. Treasurer—Mrs. V. C. Rowley.

Press Secretary—Mrs. V. C. Rowley.
Conveners of Standing Committees:
Canadianization and National Events—Mrs. Lloyd Marr.
Immigration—Mrs. H. A. Lee.
Agriculture—Mrs. M. Nelson.
Education—Mrs. Leslie Marr.
Legislation—Mrs. J. W. West.
Child Welfare and Public Health—Mrs. H. Brinker.
Household Economics—Mrs. J. Dowler.

Directors—Mesdames Lloyd Marr, H. A. Lee and H. Arnold.

HILLSIDE

Those who attended the "Hard Time" dance on the 6th, report a real good time. There were many comic costumes, as well as hard time. Mrs. Hoskins and Henry Young carried off the prizes, consisting of a broom and a dairy pail.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie of Edmonton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Howes for a few days last week.

The teacher, Miss Heaslop, is busy training the children for the Christmas entertainment on the 22nd.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Young and family, accompanied by Miss M. Young, were Edmonton visitors on Saturday.

A most enjoyable evening was spent in the school house last Friday evening when old and young gathered for an old time social. Each family was responsible for an item on the program, and there was everything from a Scotch sermon to "John Brown's Trio," and a jazz orchestra.

At the close of this part of the program, a paper with a subject were passed around and each one was given two minutes to speak, this consisted of everything from oil and radios to pigs and skunks, which created much merriment. At the close of the social lunch was served.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to all.

HILLSIDE U.F.W.A.

The annual meeting was held at the home of Mrs. T. H. Howes. The roll call "What the world is saying," was responded to by all members and visitors present. The usual business was transacted and the President and Secretary gave a report of the year's work, which was very gratifying.

Mrs. H. G. Young was chosen as delegate to the U.F.A. convention to be held in Calgary in January.

A committee of two was appointed to assist the school board, in buying treats for the school children at Christmas.

The program convener, Mrs. L. W. Marr, gave her report on the work for the coming year, and each member was given a program. "Current Events" by Mrs. Hoskins was followed by the election of officers for the coming year. These are: President, Mrs. H. G. Young; Vice-President, Mrs. L. W. Marr; Sec. Treas., Mrs. J. O. Harvey; Press Reporter, Mrs. H. Marr.

A Christmas raffle caused much merriment and showed what odd scraps of material and sugar sacks could be made into nice useful gifts. A social half hour was spent over the tea cups and a delicious lunch was served by the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Hoskins.

The January meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. H. G. Young on the 8th, and a card party at the home of Mrs. Chas. Dowdell on the 7th, when all members are asked to invite two friends, the proceeds to go to the U.F.W.A.

HILLSIDE U.F.A.

The annual meeting of the Hillside U.F.A. was held in the Hillside school, Wednesday, December 10th, there being a large turnout of members and visitors.

A report was given of the card party and basket social held recently, which showed a small credit balance.

A letter was read from the Wetaskiwin U.F.A. Provincial Association regarding the debating league just formed, and it was decided to enter a team. A committee was appointed to draw up resolutions for debate to be submitted to the committee in charge of the league.

Messrs. H. Allemen and T. H. Howes gave their reports of the Wetaskiwin U.F.A. and U.F.W.A. Provincial Political Association Convention held in Wetaskiwin recently.

The President, W. C. Dowdell, gave his report and reviewed what the local had accomplished during the past year.

The financial statement was also given for 1930, and although this had been a strenuous year, a small balance was reported on the right side of the ledger.

It was decided to send a delegate to the annual Convention at Calgary and J. O. Harvey was appointed to represent the local.

Election of officers for 1931 then took place as follows:
President—W. C. Dowdell.
Vice-President—M. Dearing.
Sec. Treas.—J. O. Harvey.
Directors—H. Marr, L. Swartz, V. Heaslop, K. Allemen and T. H. Howes.

Two resolutions were drawn up for presentation to the annual Convention at Calgary.

It was agreed to hold the next meeting in the school house on Friday, January 8th.

Mr. A. Ewart addressed the meeting, extending fraternal greetings from the Lone Ridge Local.

It was decided to hold a dance on Friday, January 2nd, and a committee was appointed to take charge of the same.

The Local are also trying to get

MILLET

Mr. Charlie Terrier arrived in Millet on the two o'clock train Monday.

Mr. R. P. Roop shipped a purebred Poland China pig to W. Just, Cammore.

Mr. Tom Rodney and wife, of Olive, Alta., visited relatives and friends here last week.

The choir of the United Church are conducting a special Christmas musical service on Sunday, December 21, in the church.

Mr. Ole Wallwood of Coronation, arrived in Millet last week, en route to Pigeon Lake, where he will fish during the present season.

Mrs. H. A. Lee attended the W. O. M. L. in Wetaskiwin last Thursday. She also paid a visit to her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Boyd.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. M. Nelson were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Rogne last Sunday.

St. John's Anglican Sunday school are having their Christmas tree and party on December 30th, to which all parents are invited with their children.

Mr. Will Elder has just returned from Fisher's Home, Breton and Buck Lake. Dame Rumer says he may take a homestead at the latter place.

Dr. D. Christie and family of Winnipeg, who were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Christie last week, attended the United Church bazaar.

We understand that Mr. Alexander has disposed of his logging and mill interests at Fisher's Home, and expects to leave for Los Angeles, California, soon.

The Millet school concert will be given in Pigeon Lake on Dec. 23rd. We understand that the pupils are furnishing all the music for the program themselves.

Mrs. Mary Kinchella has returned home from Edmonton, where she had an operation performed on her eyes for cataract. Her many friends are hoping the operation will prove a success.

Messrs. Chas. Moonen, Harry Scott, Leonard Gray and Albert Hogg, spent the last week of the big game season, hunting northwest of Edmonton. They returned last Saturday evening with two fine large moose, and report game still plentiful there.

Mr. D. Cameron, B.Sc., of the Extension Department, University of Alberta, to address a meeting towards the end of January.

A Gift to Youth

GIVE the boy or girl a savings bank book of his or her very own.
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UNITED CHURCH BAZAAR

(Intended for last week, lost in the mail.)
The United Church Bazaar last Saturday, was a grand success. All the numerous goodies, fancy work, etc., being soon all sold. The church was very attractively decorated and looked real Christmasy. The attractive cake donated by Mrs. (Dr.) Simpson, was won by Mrs. Robert Grey. Those in charge of the various booths were as follows: Fish pond, Mesdames J. Dowler and Strand; novelty booth, Mrs. C. A. Kent; candy, Mesdames G. Ingles and Gladys Kerr; sewing and fancy work, Mesdames P. Higginson and V. C. Rowley; home cooking, Mesdames (Dr.) Simpson and McDougall; tea tables, Mesdames C. Brinker and Aikens. Those pouring tea were Mesdames Robt. Ingles and M. Steward. Other helpers were Mesdames J. W. West, C. Moen, Billy Karr, Lillian Thompson and many others. The Ladies Aid wish to cordially thank all who assisted in any way to make this bazaar such a success, also including Master Billy Karr and Mabel Thompson, who rendered enjoyable instrumental during the afternoon.

The United Church choir presented a very attractive program last Thursday evening at their concert, assisted by pupils of Miss Mabel Thompson. A large crowd enjoyed the following: "O Canada"; instrumental "Moon Winks"; Marguerite Van Volkenberg; "Dixie Land"; choir; instrumental, Margie Schultz; duet, Mesdames Aikens and Stuart (encored); instrumental, Clara Kinchella; recitation (encored) Mrs. V. C. Rowley; instrumental, Marie Scott; duet (encored), Mabel and Lillian Thompson; song, Mrs. Gihleng; trio, song, Mesdames Lee and Rowley, with ukelele accompaniment by Ruth Rowley (encored); reading, Mrs. H. A. Lee; song, Mr. McDougall; instrumental, Emma Schultz; song by the choir "The Barmy"; (encored); instrumental "The Flower Song," by Ruth Rowley; reading, "Kentucky Belle," Mrs. C. Moen; instrumental, duet, Mabel and Lillian Thompson (encored); "The Crow Song," (encored) the Choir; instrumental, Ruby Hardy; melody, the choir; "God Save the King." Many thanks are due our capable pianist, Mrs. P. Easterbrook.

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Christmas Day services - Holy Communion and sermon, 3 p.m.
Rev. Arthur Murphy, M.A., Vicar.

CLOTHES AND THE MAN

Williams considered himself rather a "hit" with the girls, but when he spoke to a young lady on the promenade she was very annoyed. "I don't know you from Adam," she snapped indignantly. Williams smiled in return. "You ought to," he replied. "I'm dressed differently."

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Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, 8 p.m. December 22-23-24

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Plenty of things happen to Clara in this Avery Hopwood farce. Charles Ruggles, Skeets Gallagher and Ralph Forbes are also in the cast. It's farces at top speed filled with merry mad moments without a dull moment to slow it up. It's a wow. Do not miss it.

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Thursday, Friday Only, 8 p.m. December 25-26

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The season's smartest comedy and abundant entertainment for the whole family. A clever story brimful of hilarious situations makes this latest Horton feature a joyous comedy guaranteed to extract laugh from old and young.

We will have a MATINEE on CHRISTMAS DAY at 2:30 and SANTA CLAUS will be on hand with something for the children.

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***The Cooke Agencies have money to loan on good farm securities.

***See the Imperial Lumber Company, Ltd., for wagon-rack iron, oak veneers, wagon reaches and general wagon oak stock. 33-4th

***The Cooke Drug Co. would like all their country customers, who have not received calendars, to call in and get one before Christmas.

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***See the Cooke Agencies on farm loans.

***Get your storm doors and storm sash from the Imperial Lumber Company. They have a well assorted stock. 33-4th

***Before you buy Christmas goods drop in and see the fine assortment of goods at right prices at the Cooke Drug store. A pleasure to show goods.

***The Imperial Lumber Company has blacksmith coal for you. Call and see some. Prices right.

***See the fine display of Christmas goods in the Cooke Drug Co. store and window.

***A New Year's Eve dance, under the auspices of B.P.O.E. No. 91, will be held in the Elks' hall on Wednesday evening, December 31, commencing at 9 o'clock. Music by Harvey's orchestra. Admission \$1.00 including supper.

***See the Cooke Drug Co. advertisement in this week's issue.

APPRECIATION

We wish to sincerely thank our many kind neighbors and friends for their splendid assistance during our recent fire.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Erickson and family.

BORN

KENNEDY—In Edmonton, on the 14th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Kennedy, a son. (Mr. Kennedy is manager of the grocery department of Brody's store here).

IVES—On the 13th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Ives, of Winfield, a son.

LOGAN—On December 14th, to Mr. and Mrs. John Logan of Haultain district, a daughter.

BAILLY—In the hospital, on the 17th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. George Bailly of Angus Ridge, a son.

CALLIES—In the Wetaskiwin hospital, on the 17th inst., to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Callies, a daughter.

IN MEMORIAM

In fond memory of Ole Robert Olsen, who died at Veterans' December 18th, 1928, at the age of 27 years. I have lost my soul's companion. A life linked with my own, And day by day I miss him more As I walk through life alone. He suffered losses, yes, hours of pain To wait for cure, but all in vain, 'Till God alone knew what was best, And called him home, to give him rest. Inserted by his beloved wife and children, sisters, brother and family.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish, to sincerely thank the committee of the Moose Lodge and all those who so generously contributed to the fund raised for our benefit.

DAN ANDERSON & FAMILY.

APPRECIATION

The ladies of the W.O.M.L. wish to thank all those who so kindly offered their services on November 29th, and helped to make the U.F.A. supper a grand success.

Look at the house on your paper

Church and Sunday School

IMMANUEL CHURCH
Rev. P. C. Wade, L.T.S.
H. M. Robinson, A.T.C.M., Organist
Sunday, Dec. 21—
8 a.m.—Holy Communion
10 a.m.—Sunday School
7:30—Evening song and sermon.
Christmas Eve—11:45, Carol service and address.
CHRISTMAS DAY—
7 a.m.—Holy Communion.
11 a.m.—Holy Communion and sermon.
Visitors: Adjacent to church.
Phone 293.

FIRST UNITED CHURCH
Minister, Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A., B.D.
Choir leader, W. M. M. Touche
Our Christmas services will be held on Sunday, December 21
Morning, 11 o'clock—"The Christmas Spirit." Christmas anthem by the children's choir, a vocal solo by Ethel Sharlow.
Evening, 7:30 o'clock—"God so loved the world"; violin duet "Andantino" (Lemare) Mrs. Condie and Mr. Touche; Christmas cantata, "The Nativity" (Norman) the Senior Choir.
2:30 p.m.—Sunday School.

SWEDISH BAPTIST
P. M. Meyer, Minister
Sunday, Dec. 21—
Wetaskiwin: Sunday school, 11 a.m.; Gospel service, 8 p.m.
Nashville Church: Sunday school, 2 p.m.; Gospel service, 3 p.m.
Crooked Lake school:
December 25th, 6 a.m., Christmas service.
December 27th, 8 p.m., Sunday school Christmas program.
Offerdale school: Dec. 26th, 8 p.m., Sunday school Christmas program.
Sunday school Christmas program in Wetaskiwin Dec. 28, 8 p.m.

ZION LUTHERAN
(Rev. A. Appel, Pastor)
Sunday, Dec. 21—
10:45 a.m.—German.
12:15 p.m.—English Sunday school
7:45 p.m.—English services.
Saturday School, 10 a.m., Christmas program rehearsal.
Wednesday, Dec. 24th, Christmas Eve program with choral and song.
Christmas Day, Dec. 25—
10:15 a.m.—Confession.
10:45 a.m.—German, with Holy Communion.
7:45 p.m.—English.

WALDEHEIM LUTHERAN
(Rev. A. Appel)
Friday, Dec. 20—
10:30 a.m.—Confession.
11 a.m.—German, with Holy Communion.
7:30 p.m.—English, with children's program. Addresses in English and German.

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
W. J. Ewing, Pastor
December 14th to 21st—
Great evangelistic services are on Dec. 11 to 21. Every morning at 10, special teaching lesson. Every evening at 7:45, evangelistic service.
Sunday, Dec. 21—
10 a.m.—Sunday school.
11—Morning service.
2:30—Afternoon service.
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic rally. Rev. E. S. Matthews, evangelist; Miss V. McRoberts, singer and pianist; banjo, guitar and harp, each have a place in the musical program.

ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN
Rev. C. J. Mackay, Minister.
Morning service, 11—Subject "The Exalted Christ."
Sabbath school, 12:15.
Evening service, 7:30. Subject "The Fullness of Time."
Preacher: Rev. C. J. Mackay.

GWYNNE GOSPEL TABERNACLE
Services every Sunday at 8 p.m. Sunday school, 11 a.m.
The annual Christmas program of the Gwynne Sunday school will be held on Saturday, Dec. 20th, at 8 p.m. in the Gwynne church.

THE SALVATION ARMY
Capt. Rayner Lieut. Robertson.
Mollins meeting, 11 a.m.
Company meeting, 8 p.m.
Salvation meeting, 7:30 p.m.
Tuesday—Prayer meeting, 8 p.m.
Thursday—Public meeting, 8 p.m.

SWEDISH MISSION CHURCH
Rev. Arvid N. Wickstrom
Sunday, Dec. 21—
Malmö: 11 a.m., Divine service.
Wetaskiwin: 11 a.m., Sunday school; 8 p.m., Swedish service.
Christmas Day—
New Sweden: 6 a.m., Jultotta.
Malmö: 8 p.m.—Sunday school Christmas program.
Dec. 26th, New Sweden: 7:30 p.m., Sunday school Christmas program.
Dec. 27th and 28th, Wetaskiwin: Y.P. Midwinter Conference.

PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY
Evangelists Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cobb in charge.
10:30 a.m.—Devotional.
12 Noon, Sunday school.
7:30 p.m.—Evangelistic.

SPECIAL EVANGELISTIC SERVICES IN CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
A very interesting program is being enjoyed by those who attend the Church of the Nazarene every evening this week. Musical selections on the zither-banjo and harp-guitar are rendered each evening by the evangelist, besides solos by Miss McRoberts of Red Deer, and others.
The evangelist, Rev. E. S. Matthews, is widely known throughout Canada and the United States. He was pastor in Lethbridge, where he opened up the Church of the Nazarene. He was also in Calgary and Edmonton before being appointed district superintendent for Alberta.
Mr. Matthews is very clear in his messages and deals with his subject in a very lucid manner. He spoke one evening on "The Five C's of Salvation," namely, Conversion, Confession, Confession, Conversion, Confession, and in another message he dealt with Pentecostal experience of the Apostles, showing how they were fired, freed, fearless, faithful and fruitful.

There are several cases of chicken-pox in town, but we understand they are of a very mild type.

First Stenog: "Dearie, how short should I be for this?"
Second Stenog: "Let your chassis be your guide."



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LADIES' HOSPITAL AID FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1930

As at December 1st	
Receipts	
To cash on hand in bank	...
Dec. 31st	\$197.75
Less cash Dec. account	22.50
Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1930	175.25
Dues from 13 members as per receipts	18.00
Dues from 3 members (ar-rears)	3.00
Grant from Hospital Board for linen	200.00
From 1929 bazaar proceeds	10.55
Proceeds from 1930 bazaar	460.55
Proceeds from 1930 bazaar	3.20
Total receipts	\$870.95

Disbursements	
January, 1930, to December 1	...
Accounts paid for linen, cotton, flannel, sheeting, hospital garments, thread	\$312.35
Kitchen utensils, etc.	11.20
Electric wiring, nurses' sitting room	13.25
Printing, drying, sundries	11.53
Rent of hall for bazaar	35.00
Total Disbursements	\$383.33
Cash on hand as at December 1st, 1930	\$487.62
Credit balance in bank book	\$487.62
Total Assets at Dec. 1, 1930:	...
Sinking Fund Prov. Bond	\$1000.00
Cash in Savings Account	105.34
Cash in current ac. at bank	487.62
Total Assets, Dec. 1, 1930	\$1592.96

I hereby certify that I have audited the books and vouchers of the Ladies' Hospital Aid and have found them correct, and I also certify that the above is a true statement of the assets at this date.

J. E. FRASER, Auditor.

EMERGENCY OF THE WEST

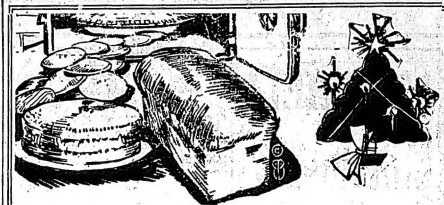
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were approximately 85,000,000 bushels, valued at \$71,000,000.

These figures represent commercial transactions, actual trading and means that in 1930 we sold forty million bushels of wheat for seven million dollars in return; which, on the comparison of the two prices, means that in 1930 we sold forty million bushels of wheat for seven million dollars. These figures demonstrate clearly two facts: first, the buying power of the Western farmer has been more than cut in two; and secondly, the Dominion of Canada has suffered a loss of \$51,000,000 on the export of approximately 25% of her surplus wheat on the basis of last year's values.

These are part of the statistics of the situation with which Western Canada has been at grips for months, and with which we must all be prepared to grapple with increasing vigor as the months come on. The national income has shrunk. Translated into human terms what does this mean?

Western Canada is one of the strongest and best endowed areas on the world's surface. Its people have had steady prosperity for many years. They have created an agricultural empire on the prairie on the Rockies. They have built great cities, such as our own city of Winnipeg; their industry has enormously enriched the entire Dominion, and they have accumulated capital reserves which even in this crisis enable them to face the future with courage and without panic. But it is a crisis. It is a crisis of unprecedented magnitude, world-wide in its complications, and this gigantic depression, which has hit our country like an earthquake, and against which our people are as helpless as though it were a plague blown down on them from the air, is beginning to strike disastrously into our communities. Shrinkage by hundreds of millions in the national income means straightened conditions throughout the country. We are now at the place where actual physical suffering may be witnessed as the crisis continues. Shortage of food, of clothing, and of fuel. Whole districts, perhaps up against destitution, with nothing coming in from

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the crops, and the rigors of winter now upon them. The country is bursting with wheat, and grain, and fuel, and resources of every description, and yet by the inexplicable operation of world conditions our Western people in considerable numbers may be caught and squeezed in the iron pincers of a poverty they do not in the least deserve to suffer.

The situation is emergent. It is partly on us now, and it will have to be faced and dealt with as a national responsibility and as a national duty. There will be many districts able to stand this winter's siege on their own resources, but there will be weaker districts needing help, and there will be necessitous cases in the better-situated communities who will need help too—who may be needing it now. And help, by one device or another, will have to be provided. There is danger of large-scale suffering on the Western plains this year, and the equipment to relieve it



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